



Die Martis, 26 Julii, 1642.

A DECLARATION OF The LORDS and COMMONS

Assembled in PARLIAMENT,

With Additions to a former Declaration, Dated July 12. 1642.

For the Protecting of those who are imployed by the Authority of both or either House of Parliament, in the Execution of the Ordinance for the *Militia*: Or in advancing the Propositions for raising of Horse, Moneys, or Plate, according to the Instructions of both Houses of Parliament.



He Lords and Commons in Parliament do declare, That it is against the Laws and liberties of the Kingdom, that any of the Subjects thereof should be commanded by the King to attend Him at His pleasure, but such as are bound thereto by speciall service; And if any Messengers or Officers shall by colour of any command from His Maiesty, or Warrant under His Maiesties hand, Arrest, take, or carry away any of His Maiesties Subjects to any place whatsoever contrary to their wils; that it is both against the laws of the land, the liberty of the subjects, and is to the disturbance of the publique peace of the Kingdom: And any of His Maiesties Subjects so Arrested, may lawfully refuse to obey such Arrests and Commands.

And it is further declared, that whosoever is imployed by both or either House of Parliament, concerning the Ordinance for the *Militia*, or in advancing the Propositions, for raising of Horse, Money, or Plate, according to the instructions of both houses, or in furthering the subscriptions for *Ireland*, or in any other service of both or either house of Parliament, shall not depart that service, or attend His Maiestie upon any summons or commands, signified by Letter, Proclamation or otherwise, except such Persons shall be compelled to such departure or attendance by Authority of law. And in so doing, both Houses of Parliament will extend the utmost of their Power for their indemnity.

Ordered that this be forthwith Printed.

H. Elsynge, Cler. Parl. D. Com.